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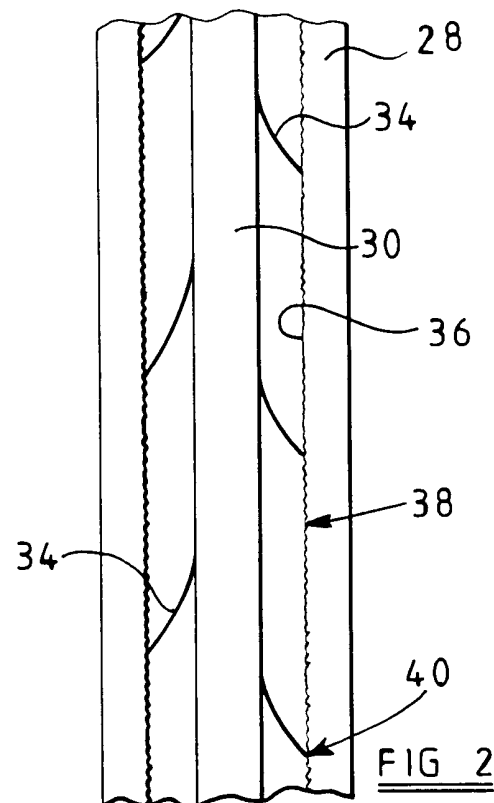
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Cable anchors

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A cable and conduit assembly comprises a conduit (28), such as coiled tubing, with a cable (30), such as an electrical power cable, longitudinally disposed therein. A plurality of elastic fingers (34), such as relatively short lengths of spring steel, extend from the cable and frictionally engaging an interior surface (36) of the conduit to transfer the weight of the cable to the conduit. The elastic fingers are angled to permit installation of the cable within the conduit in a first longitudinal direction and to prevent movement of the cable within the conduit in a second longitudinal direction.





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